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WASHINGTON, D.C.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR

16 April 1970

MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC  
INTERPRETATION CENTER

SUBJECT: Commendation for

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The Color Task Force has reported that

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of your Center are the two individuals most responsible for developing the technique for making high resolution black-and-white reproductions from the green sensitive layer of SO-242 color film. The development of this capability and the subsequent extension to the red sensitive layer, as well as contact mass production usage, have contributed significantly to the National Reconnaissance Program.

The initiative and ingenuity demonstrated by these individuals bring great credit to themselves and the National Photographic Interpretation Center.

I would appreciate your conveying to my personal thanks and the sincere appreciation of the National Reconnaissance Office for their outstanding performance in the interest of our mutual endeavors.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, National Photographic  
Interpretation Center

SUBJECT : NPIC Support of Special Briefing

1. I want you to know how pleased I was with the support provided by [ ] and his staff in the preparation of my briefing for [ ]. The high quality and judicious selection of the briefing boards furnished by [ ] contributed greatly to the effectiveness of the presentation. The briefing was well received by the Chancellor, and it clearly imparted the message we were trying to get across.

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2. Please convey my appreciation to Mr. [ ] and the others who had a part in this project for their major contribution to its success.

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R. J. SMITH  
Deputy Director for Intelligence

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